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In re Application of:

Hai Bui

Application No.: 09/316,851

Filed: May 21, 1999

For: Constant Ocular Pressure Active

Infusion System

Examiner: Michael M. Thompson

Art Group: 3763

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## SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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Sir:

In further response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed July 5, 2002, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS

Following is a complete set of pending claims.

- 1 (Previously Amended) An irrigation system for a medical device, comprising:
- 2 an irrigation reservoir;
- an irrigation line coupled to said irrigation reservoir;
- 4 a pump coupled to said irrigation line;
- 5 an accumulator including a first chamber in fluid communication with said irrigation
- 6 line, a second chamber, and a flexible membrane that separates said first chamber from said

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